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**ELECTION COMMISSION, INDIA**

**NOTIFICATIONS**

*New Delhi, the 15th January 1957*

**S.R.O. 157.**—Whereas a vacancy has occurred in the seats allotted to the Union Territory of Delhi in the Council of States by reason of the resignation of Shri Mehr Chand Khanna;

Now, therefore, in exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (1) of section 147 of the Representation of the People Act, 1951 (XLIII of 1951), as adapted by the adaptation of Laws (No. 2) Order, 1956, the Election Commission hereby calls upon the members of the electoral college of Delhi to elect, in accordance with the provisions of the said Act and of the Rules and Orders made thereunder, a person to fill the vacancy so caused before the 11th February, 1957.

[No. 100/2/17/56(1).]

**S.R.O. 158.**—In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (1) of section 39 of the Representation of the People Act, 1951 (XLIII of 1951), the Election Commission hereby appoints, for the election to the Council of States to be held in pursuance of its notification No. 100/2/17/56(1), dated the 15th January, 1957.—

- (a) the 25th January, 1957 as the last date for making nominations;
- (b) the 28th January, 1957, as the date for scrutiny of nominations;
- (c) the 31st January, 1957, as the last date for the withdrawal of candidatures;
- (d) the 8th February, 1957, as the date on which a poll shall, if necessary, be taken;
- (e) the 11th February, 1957, as the date before which the election shall be completed.

[No. 100/2/17/56(2).]

**S.R.O. 159.**—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 21 of the Representation of the People Act, 1951 (XLIII of 1951), the Election Commission, in consultation with the Chief Commissioner of Delhi, hereby designates Shri Hans Raj, P.C.S., Secretary (Law and Judicial), Delhi, to be the Returning Officer for the Election to the Council of States to be held in pursuance of the Election Commission's notification No. 100/2/17/56(1), dated the 15th January, 1957.

[No. 100/2/17/56(3).]

**S.R.O. 160.**—In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (1) of section 22 of the Representation of the People Act, 1951 (XLIII of 1951), the Election Commission hereby appoints Shri M. L. Gupta, P.C.S., Under Secretary, (Development), Delhi, to assist the Returning Officer for the election to the Council of States to be held in pursuance of the Election Commission's Notification No. 100/2/17/56(1), dated the 15th January, 1957, in the performance of his functions.

[No. 100/2/17/56(4).]

**S.R.O. 161.**—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 56 of the Representation of the People Act, 1951 (XLIII of 1951), the Election Commission hereby fixes the hours from 8-30 A.M. to 12-30 P.M. and 1-00 P.M. to 5-00 P.M. as the hours during which the poll shall, if necessary, be taken for the election to the Council of States to be held in pursuance of its notification No. 100/2/17/56(1), dated the 15th January, 1957.

[No. 100/2/17/56(5).]

By Order,

A. KRISHNASWAMY AIYANGAR, Secy.